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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chair House Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Lovelady Center Renovation Project in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lovelady Center located at 7916 2nd Avenue South, Birmingham, AL 35206.

The funding would be used to provide for rehabilitating two dormitories, each housing 30 individual women. The first dormitory is for "Intake", the first step in program for intensive treatment. The second is for "Restoration", the next graduated step.

As is common for addiction recovery treatment facilities, each dormitory is completely separated from other populations and self-contained. The dormitories facilities are structured as a "common community", meaning they include a "common" area, sleep in bunkbeds in another area and dorm style bathrooms and showers.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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